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## SAVOY CAFE



Having purchased the above Cafe from J. Maritas I solicit the continuance of the patronage this Cafe has enjoyed.

The restaurant will be thoroughly overhauled and patrons may rely on the very best service possible at very reasonable prices.

Soliciting your patronage  
Leo. M. Roberts.

A tentative statement on Alberta's production of petroleum for 1925 shows that the 1925 production in this province alone was greater than the production for all Canada for year 1924. The bringing in of the world's richest oil well in the Turner Valley field south of Calgary, known as Royaltite No. 4, was responsible for boosting the value of Alberta's production. This well has been producing on an average of over 400 barrels a day of almost pure gasoline.

### CHURCH BULLETIN

Rev. J. Lee announces the following services for Sunday next, Jan. 31 1926.  
11 a.m.—Sunday School.  
3 p.m.—Service at Blusson School.  
7.30 p.m.—Service at Champion. Sermon subject "The Friendliness of Jesus." All welcome at these services.

## Service

## Champion Meat Market

## J. T. Stephenson

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FOR  
SERVICE  
AND  
SATISFACTION

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We carry Groceries Only and try to always have a good supply of Staple and Fancy Lines of best quality.

## Grey's Gray Caps

FOR

**Rheumatism**  
*And rheumatism only*

**CHAMPION DRUG CO.**

Druggists and Chemists.

Friday & Saturday  
Jan. 29-30

**Danger--You'll Split Your Sides**  
**BUSTER KEATON in "The Navigator."**

Come and Have a Good Laugh. Take a voyage with the funniest comedian in the world. He directs fish traffic at the bottom of the ocean. Every time Buster goes down to the bottom of the sea bubbles of laughter come up to the theatre. See Buster Keaton in "The Navigator."

Two Reel Comedy.

## Twenty-Eight Rinks Playing in Local Bonspiel

This week the Champion Curling Club is holding its annual local bonspiel with twenty-seven rinks taking part. This has been the outstanding event of the winter since its inception and it is increasing in popularity with everyone with each repetition. This year some eighteen ladies are enrolled with the men and an increased interest in the games is being taken on this account.

Following is the personnel of the rinks taking part:

(Ski's Name First)

A. W. Jopling, B. Gardner, C. Parker, Mrs. Hammett, J. T. Stephenson, Mr. Spence, T. Sletto, Louis Peterson, Geo. Orr, Ed. Latiff, Louis Warren, Mrs. Gardner, F. Clapp, W. J. Ellis, Otto Miller, Mrs. Miller, J. Collins, C. Hyndman, Geo. Jordan, Mrs. Orr,

B. Hummel, Dr. Fries, Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Hammett,

C. McLean, W. R. McCrae, Ed. Gairson, Mrs. Gairson,

W. C. Hoskins, C. Anderson, B. Powell, Mrs. C. Anderson,

Mr. Henderson, J. Beaubier, J. Walker, Mrs. Hammett,

E. F. Crawford, Dean Smith, R. McLean, Mrs. Chisholm,

F. Clever, Mr. Manhard, F. Starr, Mrs. Latiff,

P. M. Patterson, Max Groves, B. Robertson, Mrs. McCullough,

A. L. D. McLean, U. G. Anderson, Mrs. Woodhall,

Harvey Jopling, Mr. McElroy, J. Gielo, Mrs. McIntyre,

M. Granin, A. McCullough, F. L. Johnson, Mrs. Williamson,

Bad Roberts, Dave Watkins, Ralph Bond, F. Caldwell, A. Cowin, T. Cowin, C. Cowin, J. Miller,

W. L. Holmes, R. F. Nelson, A. Brett, A. Bierlein,

E. Mason, C. Thornton, H. Vernich, Mrs. Collins,

W. S. Ryan, Geo. Stoddart, N. McLean, Mrs. Stoddart,

J. E. Moffatt, G. T. Dow, C. Matlock, Mrs. Crawford,

Geo. Depue, H. E. Johnson, E. Ditto, Mrs. Depue,

T. Merritt, Del. Cook, L. Thompson, O. H. Thompson, Mrs. Thompson,

D. Chamberlain, F. Bassett, W. Thompson, Geo. Hohn,

H. E. Gill, Mr. Hammett, N. Carlson, Ted Carlson,

Lee Pearson, Ole Running, J. Robb, Jim Ferguson, Geo. Campbell, Pete Danb, W. Sloan.

**Charles Wright Jr.**  
Dies After Operation

A telegram to Fred Clever on Tuesday conveyed the sad tidings of the death of Charles (Chuck) Wright at Hollywood, Cal., following an operation for appendicitis. The deceased, who was only 22 years old, spent the greater part of his life here and was decidedly popular, both at school and elsewhere, and his sudden demise will cause general regret. His young widow and little child, as well as the members of his family and wide circle of relatives will have the sincere sympathy of a very large number of the residents of Champion and district.

Note—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. (Chuck) Wright on Jan. 15th. Mr. Wright was taken to the hospital on Jan. 18th and died on Jan. 20th.

The date of the Champion car-nival will be announced shortly.

During the bonspiel the ladies' Aid have served lunch in the curlers' room, and as usual this has proved one of the features of the bonspiel, as the patronage the ladies receive would easily indicate.

The weather has been very favorable through the week, although on one or two occasions the ice was rather tough, on the whole it was eminently satisfactory, and A. W. Jopling is to be congratulated on the success of his efforts.

As our forms are closed Hummel had reached the finals of the first event, defeating Moffatt in the fours, while Collins and Clapp meet to see which remains in the semi-finals. The second event is well advanced and the consolation is also under way.

**Community Hall  
Makes Progress**

A well attended meeting in connection with the Community Hall was held in W. C. Hoskins' store on Saturday evening, with W. C. Hoskins in the chair. After approval of the minutes of the previous meeting the following resolutions were passed:

J. N. Beaubier—E. F. Crawford—that the Champion Community Hall Co. Limited, be organized at a capitalization of \$20,000.00 to erect, maintain and equip a Community Hall, stock to be issued on shares par value \$10.00—Carried.

E. F. Crawford—Mrs. L. Groves—that 5 directors be elected to apply for a charter—Carried.

Mrs. Beaubier—W. C. Hoskins—that the board of directors be empowered to ascertain the cost and necessary information to obtain a charter and submit the same at the next meeting to be called by the chair—Carried.

Nominations for board of directors: H. J. Higgins (convenor), W. C. Hoskins, J. N. Beaubier, P. M. Patterson and E. F. Crawford.

G. L. Depue—Mrs. Therriault—that the nominations be closed and that these five nominated constitute the board of directors—Carried.

Mrs. Therriault—Mrs. Ulrich—that the chairman be empowered to appoint 2 ladies to act with board of directors to draft by-laws—Carried.

Committee appointed: Mrs. Therriault and Mrs. Ulrich.

J. Beaubier—H. Higgins—that meeting adjourn—Carried.

Selling stock will begin as soon as the company is organized and prospects of a ready sale are exceedingly bright.

### Buried at Old Kildonan

The funeral of the late Mrs. J. L. McFuris took place from Thomson's undertaking parlors, Winnipeg, to the family plot in Old Kildonan cemetery on Wednesday, Jan. 20th. The pall-bearers were Winnipeg old-timers and the services were conducted by the Rev. C. W. Gordon (Ralph Connor).

### Danger--You'll Split Your Sides

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Coming next week, Douglas McLean in "Introduce Me"

## Week-End Specials!

Oranges, real juicy, 3 doz. tor	1.00
Dollar Sodas, try a box	.75
Sun-Maid Raisins, 4 lb package	.50
Roberts' Five O'clock Tea, per lb.	.65

## Underwear!

Buy Now for the Cold Weather
Stanfield's Gold Label, Union Suits
3.65
Tru-Knit Union Suits, good weight
2.50
Fleece Lined, 2-piece, per garment
.90
Heavy Wool
" " " 1.50

**B. M. ROBERTS**

## NEW SPRING MILLINERY

On Display Next Wednesday and Thursday

**FEBRUARY 3rd and 4th**  
also New Spring Goods.

Make your selection while they are new.

**MRS. THERRIAULT**

## Odd Pants!

We have just opened up the finest and best range of **ODD TROUSERS** ever shown in Champion, consisting of

**Blue Serges**

**Tweeds**

**English Whipcords**

Here is a chance for you to match up that good suit, coat or fancy sweater.



**CAMPBELL'S**

"Where They All Go."

THE CHAMPION CHRONICLE  
B. N. Woodhall, Publisher.

Issued every Thursday morning from the office of publication at Champion, Alberta.

Subscription \$1.50 per year, payable in advance.

## ADVERTISING RATES

Legal advertisements, 15 cents per line for first insertion, 12 cents per line for each subsequent insertion.

Advertisements of Wanted, Lost, Found, Strayed, etc., not exceeding one inch, 80 cents for first insertion, 75 cents for each subsequent insertion.

Commercial rates on application.

THURSDAY, JAN. 28, 1925

## NOTES AND COMMENT.

One thing all our parties and groups may be relied upon to do is to look after themselves if they acquire the reins of power. Pre-election tendencies are splendid and self-sacrificing, but these tendencies suffer a wonderful relapse after election day, and are not prominent until another election is in sight.

Mr. McTillivray says that if he is the next premier of Alberta within one year from taking office he will have the budget balanced, says the Balsano Mail. We believe the man to be sincere and honest in his intentions. We believe that the budget could be balanced in a year. As a starter the membership of the legislature could be cut in half and the cabinet reduced by one from its present number. The lieutenant-governor's position might well be dispensed with. A lot of these health inspectors and other small officials who are running around the country aimlessly, could be done without. Are the afore-mentioned included in Mr. McTillivray's program for retrenchment.—Vulcan Advocate.

If the Advocate includes the the promoter of municipal hospitals among the "small officials who are running around aimlessly," there is considerable virtue in the contention as viewed from this part of the country.

The agreement under which Alberta's natural resources will be transferred from control of the federal to the provincial governments, has been signed at Ottawa by representatives of both governments, as a result of Premier Brownie's visit to the federal capital. Legislative affirmation of the agreement must be given by Imperial Parliament, following the passage of a petition by both the federal and provincial parliaments. The subsidy paid by the dominion government to the province will be continued for a three-year period after the transfer of the resources.

All records for production were surpassed in the mining industry of Ontario during the year 1925, according to a review by the Minister of Mines for the past year. The value of the total output exceeded by far the 1918 total of 1918, the year of the record demand for nickel and copper. Including both metals and non-metals, the aggregate value amounted to about \$85,000,000. Of this, \$30,000,000 was for the metals, mainly gold, silver, nickel and copper, this being an advance of about \$9,000,000 over 1924.

A machine has been invented by Japanese scientists that subjects models of buildings to earthquake motions to test their resistance to such disturbances.

## Lowering of Feed Costs

(Experimental Farms Note).

Feed costs are not determined wholly by the amount of the different food materials consumed. The initial cost of such materials is probably of equal importance.

Trail Smelters  
Big Industry

In endeavoring to lower the cost of feeding, one source of saving too frequently lost sight of is the wise use of annual hay crops. Such crops are not for seasons when the regular meadows promise to yield abundantly, but can be used with considerable financial advantage where either hay or grain crops fall below the mark in the spring or early summer months.

During the past five years a large number of grasses and clovers, suitable for annual hays, have been planted, both alone and in combination, at the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa. Some valuable data have been secured as to the possibility of using such crops to safeguard against winter shortage of feed.

On the whole mixtures of grasses and legumes have been more satisfactory than either seed alone. The largest average amount of feed per acre has been secured from a mixture of the Japanese Foxtail millet and either the white or yellow blossomed sweet clover. The rate of feeding for this mixture was 15 lb. of sweet clover and 20 lb. of the millet per acre. Three and a half tons of cured hay per acre has been the lowest yield secured and six and a half tons the highest yield. The sweet clover is quite fine when grown in such a mixture, consequently the usual difficulty of curing this crop is not experienced. The quality of hay secured is also quite good.

The lowering of feeding costs by feeding hay produced at the rate of three and one half to six and one half tons per acre instead of often a poorer quality of hay, produced at the rate of one half to three quarters of a ton to the acre in poor hay years should be quite apparent. The experiment is worth a thorough trial on the part of any feeders threatened with feed shortage.

Western Australia is planning to erect a large plant at the mouth of coal mines to produce electric power for wide distribution.

## VILLAGE OF CHAMPION

## Re Dog Licenses

Owners of dogs must take out licenses for same before the 1st day of February as the dog tax will be strictly enforced after that date.

H. COOPER, Secretary.

LONG LOUIE  
CAFE

## The Place to Eat

Remodelled throughout, redecorated and painted.

Private booths for those who desire privacy.

## The Best Meals for the Money Served in Town.

Fruits, Tabacoo, Cigars and Soft Drinks.

## Velvet Ice Cream

## SEE

Banff Winter Carnival  
FEBRUARY 3rd to 17th  
TWO WEEKS OF FUN

## Dazzling - Delightful - Wholesome

With Gorgeous Scenic Setting in the

## Canadian Pacific Rockies

SLEING SNOWSHOEING HOCKEY  
SKI-JORING TOBOGGANING CURLING  
SKATING THAD-SHOOTING SWIMMING  
SLEIGHING PACKING DANCING

100-Mile Dog Derby for Strongheart Trophy

## FARE and ONE THIRD

FOR THE ROUND TRIP  
From all Stations in Alberta and British Columbia: Revelstoke and East.

On Sale Feb. 6 to 15

Good Returning to Feb. 18, 1926.

Full Information from the Ticket Agent

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Your Purchases  
Are Investments

You would not think of investing your dollars in a poor proposition. Then why invest your dollars in inferior goods at any price?

## Myers' Pumps Are Not Cheap

but Myers' Pumps serve you better. That is why Myers' Pumps are universally known and used, regardless of price.

"Myers" on a pump is your guarantee of quality.

"Myers" on a pump is your guarantee of service.

Myers' seamless drawn Brass Cylinders are equipped with Glass Valve Seats which always insure leak proof valves. Repairs always procured quickly. Many Myers' Cylinders have not seen the sunlight for over ten years.

LET US SHOW YOU THESE GOODS. WE CAN OUTFIT YOU ANY TIME.

**W. C. HOSKINS**  
Guaranteed Hardware.

EXCURSION  
TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE

THIS  
WAY  
YOU  
SEE  
BANFF  
The Home of  
Winter Sports



To Vancouver-Victoria  
New Westminster  
TICKETS ON SALE  
January 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 26  
February 4 and 9  
RETURN LIMIT APRIL 15th, 1926

Still selling all Winter Goods at prices so low you simply can't resist them.

Come and See  
Gunder Nerison.

## billiards



promotes good fellowship

A FEELING of cordial fellowship always prevails every well conducted billiard room. Indeed, every billiard room is a well managed recreation center, family room, social center and good fellowship center.

Give billiards a trial on our tables. Meet more men. Make more friends. Take full advantage of opportunity. You will be impressed with the excellence of our tables and the care we have provided for the employees of this fascinating game. You are invited to right home when you see the atmosphere of wholesomeness and health that always is so evident in this recreation center.

Dr. R. R. McIntyre  
DENTIST  
714 Herald Block - Calgary.

## The Savoy Hotel

Is the Most Commodious the Best Furnished and provides the best Accommodation to the travelling public of any hotel between Calgary and Lethbridge on the Alderside Branch.

Special Rates to farmers in the District.

Your Patronage Solicited.

STEAM HEATED ELECTRIC LIGHTED

Dr. R. R. McIntyre  
DENTIST  
714 Herald Block - Calgary.

Will be in Champion all day Monday each week. Appointments may be arranged at Moffatt's Hardware.

J. FRED SCOTT LL.B.  
Proprietor.

Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, 218 Lancaster Building, Calgary, will be in Champion every Saturday afternoon and evening, in old Municipal office.

## Art. Hopkins

Licensed

## Auctioneer

Address

Champion P. O. for Reservations and Terms.











# Champion Consolidated School District,

No. 40

## Copy Financial Statement and Auditor's Report

For the Year Ending December 31st, 1925.

**RECEIPTS**

Cash on hand January 1st	\$ 294.46
Taxes collected during current year	6057.48
Arrears 3850.49	10818.97
Government Grants received by District	2520.00
Amount from Oil Tax by state during the year	11475.00
Received from other sources: Examination fees \$33.00, Refund Express Co. 10.00	143.00
Total Cash Receipts	\$25249.43

**PAYMENTS**

Paid Teachers Salaries in cash	\$ 6270.00
Paid Officials' Salaries, Sec., Treas., Assessor, Auditor, etc.	209.00
Paid for supplies for schools	1417.10
Paid for school indebtedness	2520.00
Paid on account of Notes \$880.45, Int. 10.00	9024.05
Paid for repairing schoolhouse, outhouses, transport and vans	3383.75
Paid for improving school grounds	128.00
Paid for new blackboards, etc.	546.20
Paid for supplies: stationery, postage, chalk, brushes, pens, etc.	774.51
Paid for cartaking \$40.00, Fuel 563.85	1203.85
Paid for Insurance	347.70
Paid for all other purposes	931.15
Total Cash Payments	\$24304.54
Bal. Cash on hand and in bank, Dec. 31, 25	944.89
Total Cash Payments	\$25249.43

OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS—Taxes Uncollected, including Arrears ..... \$8202.94

**ASSETS**

Vans and Sleighs	\$ 1000.00
Land and Buildings	13000.00
Furniture, Supplies and Fixt. Apparatus, Maps, Globes, etc.	4000.00
Total amount due district, Dec. 31st, 1925	\$204.04
Bank balance	1005.59
Total Assets	\$2018.93
Total Liabilities	\$8771.05

Particulars of Assessment and Taxation for the Year 1925—Total Assessed Value \$772,035.00; Rate of Taxation 1% mills on the dollar. Total amount of arrears \$8202.94.

Exact cost of operating the school for the year \$12894.40. Insurance—On Residence \$1150.00; on Vans and Sleighs \$1500.00; on Building \$10500.00; and Equipment \$200.00.

I have examined the above Financial Statement and, to the best of my knowledge believe the same to be true and correct—E. BRIDGETT, Treasurer.

I hereby certify that the above information is in accordance with the books and records of Champion School District No. 40, of the Province of Alberta, and from the information given I believe the same to be correct.

C. H. MESSINGER, Official Auditor, Carmangay, Alberta.

Champion, Jan. 6th, 1926.

### Local and General

Found—Boy's gauntlet. Owner or call at Chronicle office.

Gophers were seen on Tuesday. What is the winter coming to?

Note F. J. Clapp's advt. re oiling harness elsewhere in this issue.

You'll bubble with laughter when you see Buster Keaton in "The Navigator."

Found—Hide robe evidently used as radiator cover. Owner apply to J. Castator.

McCullough's sale will continue for another week. It is a real opportunity to buy merchandise right.

Anchor your car outside the Champion Theatre and go to see Buster Keaton in "The Navigator."

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Smith (former coal mine owner of Champion), a son. Mother and boy doing well.

C. E. Anderson's new Hudson coach was delivered this week and is a handsome car indeed. It was purchased through A. Kramer.

A box social and dance will be held in Alston Community Hall on Friday evening, Jan. 29th. Good music will be provided.

Trimmers of the light fantastic are advised that there will be a Valentine dance in Champion on Friday evening, Feb. 12th. Don't forget the date.

A statement from Calgary is to the effect that the total payroll of the C. P. R. and C. N. R. in that city now totals approximately \$5,000,000 a year with a total employment of 37,000 men.

It is proposed that courses in co-operative marketing be added to the curriculum of the schools of agriculture, leading to an announcement which has been made by Hon. G. Hoadley, minister of agriculture.

In view of the important developments in the petroleum fields that have taken place in the past year, there has been formed the Central Alberta Oil Association, with headquarters at Edmonton, for the purpose of establishing a clearing house for accurate information on oil development, in the central part of Alberta.

The ocean runs. So will you when you see Buster Keaton in "The Navigator."

Mr. and Mrs. McKague, Mr. and Mrs. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Warner of Reid Hill, attended the Timers' reunion held here.

The Alston Bridge Club met at the home of F. Beingsnesser last Tuesday with seven tables in play. The honors went to Mrs. A. Wannop and Mr. E. Lawrence. The next evening will be at A. Wannop's Tues. Feb. 2.

Robert Burns night at Carmangay was well attended from Champion almost everywhere else, 500 paid admissions being taken from the concert. The big hall was not nearly large enough to permit of much dancing, so large was the attendance.

Mrs. James of Nordegg, assumed her duties in the room at the Champion school formerly in charge of Miss Smith on Monday, the latter leaving for Calgary on Saturday. Miss Smith made many friends while here, her work in the school being eminently satisfactory.

Chapin's Midnight Serenaders of Calgary, will play for a dance in McCullough's Hall, Champion, on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd. Don't miss this engagement extraordinary. Hear all the latest hits sung and played. Dancing on 9. Admission, gentlemen \$1.00, ladies 50c.

During the week the Savoy Cafe has changed hands. L. M. Roberts succeeding Messrs. Maris and Lee, who are leaving for Portion. The former proprietor conducted a good restaurant and general stores will accompany them wherever they may go. Mr. Roberts assures us the Cafe will be conducted right up to modern specifications.

Total field crop production on the Lethbridge Northern irrigation district for 1925 was \$1,031,000, according to a statement issued. This is treble the value of production on the project the year previous, so far as the irrigated lands are concerned. The production quoted above was obtained from 36,958 irrigated acres. The value of dry land crops on the project was \$200,769.45.

Mrs. (Dr.) Freeze leaves on Saturday for an extended trip to California and other points in the States.

C. J. Schroeder had the misfortune to break a bone in his leg just above the ankle, through a horse falling on him. A son of Mr. Schroeder has just recovered from a fall from a horse, so it would appear the Schroeder family is having a run of bad luck.

Mrs. John Bolstad, residing near Reid Hill, died on Wednesday night from heart trouble. She is survived by her husband, a son and two daughters. Mr. Bolstad homesteaded the quarter section on which Champion is located.

Mrs. Davis (nee Steele), of Rosetown, was the guest of honor at a tea on Wednesday given by Mrs. A. Jopling and a dinner in the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hoskins. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts of Barons were also guests.

During December 1925, Alberta recorded what is stated to be the highest temperature in Canada during that month when in the city of Calgary a temperature of 63 was recorded. The entire month was one of the mildest Decembers ever experienced, other points in Alberta being close behind. Champion with high temperatures Medicine Hat recording 50 and Edmonton 56.

### Masquerade Dance Event of Season

The masquerade dance on Friday night last was the big dancing event of the season. The attendance was very large, the costumes wonderful, and everyone enjoyed themselves. The Anderson orchestra was at

## Our Big January Clearance Sale Has Been the Best in Our History

The people of Champion and district certainly appreciated merchandise at real values. After repeated requests to continue our Sale into February we have decided to allow it to run **6 Selling Days Only.** All our prices previously advertised will hold good. We find some odds and ends after a sale like this, which will go out at real clearance prices.

Pure Fruit Jam, 4 lb. pails, mixed with apples, 2 cans for.	85c
Fresh, sweet Navel Oranges, 4 dozen for.	1.00
Robin Hood Rolled Oats, in packets, each.	25c
Winesap Apples, all wrapped in wax papers, O.K. pack, per case.	2.95
Blue Ribbon Coffee, 3 lb. packets, ground or bean, each.	1.75
Ladies' Corsets, all sizes, in white only, each.	1.75
Ladies' all wool Sweaters, only a few left, going at.	HALF PRICE
Men's Dress Shoes, tan calf, good style, Reg. \$7.95, Sale.	4.95
Men's all wool Flannel Shirts, G.W.G. make, great value at.	2.45

*Men's Mackinaws at prices unheard of.*

## Special Fashion Showing

### Of Ladies' Suits, Coats and Dresses

For Cash or Credit

HEATH'S of Calgary wish to announce that their representative Mr. W. L. Palmer will be visiting at this Store on **WEDNESDAY, FEB. 3rd**, showing the finest creations and most popular styles for spring.

**LADIES**—Dress well on easy terms. You may pick the garment of your choice, whether it be a Coat, Suit or Dress, and by paying a deposit down you may take the garment and pay the balance weekly, bi-monthly or monthly, while you have the pleasure of wearing it. Every woman in the country may now be well dressed without the worry of expense.

**Remember the Date of Our Visit.**  
YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD.

## McCULLOUGH BROS.

its best and furnished splendid music. The judges evidently had their work cut out for them but the awards, which follow, met with popular approval:

Home-made Costumes—1st, Mrs. Ryan, "Butterfly"; 2nd R. W. Currie, "Uncle Joe."

Best Representative Costumes—1st F. V. Sisson and Mrs. M. Sisson, "Indian Chief and Squaw."

Best Comic Costumes—J. Walker, "Happy Hollow Sarah"; B. Hummel, "Aunt Sarah."

So many other costumes were worthy of mention that it would be a thankless task to pick out the specially good ones. The event was under Community Hall auspices, and the financial results were very satisfactory.

### Jack Rabbits Being Corralled

Four very successful rabbit drives have been held in this municipality, the first at P. Daubt's netting about two hundred, two at Guy Walker's producing over six hundred, and the fourth, four miles north of town accounting for five hundred. Several more drives will be made in the near future. These events are a great attraction, the whole countryside

attending them, a large number from Vulcan being included in the last three.

### Cleverville Club's Annual Reunion

The annual meeting of the above organization was held on Friday evening January 15th 1926 in McCullough's Hall, Champion, when owing to the growing popularity of the Club and the excellent weather a record attendance was achieved.

The meeting was under the chairmanship of J. N. Beaupre, President of the Club and opened with the singing of "O Canada."

After the financial statement had been read the officers for the ensuing year were elected, President, Neil McLeod, Vice President, E. E. Crawford, Directors for the next three years, A. J. Miller, W. J. Sanderson and L. B. Ohlheiser.

An excellent musical programme was enjoyed, the contributors being Miss Jessie Archibald, Mrs. Chamberlain, Mrs. Wise, Miss Rachel Smith and Miss May Ulrich. L. B. Ohlheiser and J. G. Daugherty, Mrs. F. C. Alcock was at the piano.

A splendid supper was served, very great credit being due to the ladies for the way they

handled that part of the evening's programme.

Mr. J. M. McFatt installed radio in the hall with a number of loud speakers, giving the audience the benefit of the old time music which is in the air Friday evenings.

Dancing was then indulged in to the evident enjoyment of all present, music being furnished by Anderson orchestra in their usual finished style, assisted by Frank Johnson, Barney Hummel and Bob Bowie, playing old favorite tunes.

The gathering broke up about 4 a.m. after everyone had spent a very enjoyable evening.

### Hockey Match Friday Night

There will be a hockey game here on Friday night between Carmangay and Champion juniors and a real game is expected. Champion lost a hard game to Carmangay on Wednesday last of last week and as they have improved in every game they hope to turn in a victory this time. The game starts at 7.30.

The Brant Juveniles took the measure of the local team by a score of 3-1 on Saturday in a good game. A number from Brant accompanied the boys here.

